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**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A vehicle body component, comprising:
  - a first sheet piece;
  - a second sheet piece aligned with the first sheet piece and having at least one edge adjacent at least one edge of the first sheet piece; and
  - a synthetic layer foamed onto the first and second sheet pieces such that the synthetic layer secures the first and second sheet pieces ~~in the aligned with and position adjacent to each other; and~~  
~~a trim member received at least partially between the edges of the first and second sheet pieces.~~
2. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 1, wherein ~~each of the first and second sheet pieces~~ comprises at least one of an aluminum sheet or a synthetic material sheet.
3. (Original) The component of claim 1, wherein at least the first sheet piece comprises a synthetic material that has a selected color embodied in the material.

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4. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 1, wherein the first and second sheet pieces each include a bent portion ~~near the adjacent edges and wherein the bent edges are received directly against each other~~ the trim member.

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 1, ~~including a trim member received at least partially between the adjacent edges of the sheet pieces, wherein the trim member having has~~ a first portion received against a first side of at least the first sheet piece and a second portion extending away from a second side of the first sheet piece, the second portion being received at least partially in the synthetic layer such that the trim member is held in place between the first and second sheet pieces.

7. (Original) The component of claim 6, wherein the second portion comprises a web-like projection having an uneven surface that is secured within the synthetic layer.

8. (Original) The component of claim 1, wherein the first sheet piece is a first color and the second sheet piece is a second color.

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9. (Original) A vehicle bodywork component, comprising:
  - an outer layer comprising a sheet of material having an outer side and an inner side;
  - an inner layer comprising a synthetic material that is foamed onto the inner side of the outer layer; and
  - at least one trim piece having a portion received against the outer side of the outer layer and another portion that extends away from the inner side of the outer layer and is at least partially received and secured within the inner layer.
10. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 9, wherein the outer layer comprises:
  - a first sheet piece;
  - a second sheet piece aligned with the first sheet piece and having at least one edge adjacent at least one edge of the first sheet piece; and
  - wherein the inner layer is foamed onto the first and second sheet pieces such that the inner layer secures the first and second sheet pieces ~~in the aligned with and position~~ adjacent to each other.
11. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 10, wherein the first and second sheet pieces each include a bent portion ~~near the adjacent edges and wherein the bent edges are received directly against each other~~ the trim piece.

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12. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 11, including a sealing member extending at least partially along a seam between the bent edges~~portions~~, the sealing member being received within the inner layer.
13. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 10, wherein the ~~including~~ a trim member~~piece~~ is received at least partially between the ~~adjacent~~ edges of the first and second sheet pieces, the trim piece~~member~~ having ~~a~~ first portion received against a first side of at least the first sheet piece and a second portion extending away from a second side of the first sheet piece, the second portion being received at least partially in the inner layer such that the trim member is held in place between the first and second sheet pieces.
14. (Currently Amended) The component of claim 13, whercin ~~the~~ second ~~another~~ portion of the trim piece comprises a web-like projection having an uneven surface that is secured within the inner layer.
15. (Original) The component of claim 10, wherein the first sheet piece is a first color and the second sheet piece is a second color.
16. (Original) The component of claim 9, wherein the outer layer comprises a synthetic material that has a selected color embodied in the material.

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17. (Original) The component of claim 9, wherein the outer layer comprises at least one of an aluminum sheet or a synthetic material sheet.
18. (New) A vehicle body component, comprising:
  - a first sheet piece;
  - a second sheet piece aligned with the first sheet piece and having at least one edge adjacent at least one edge of the first sheet piece;
  - a synthetic layer foamed onto the first and second sheet pieces such that the synthetic layer secures the first and second sheet pieces aligned with and adjacent to each other; and
  - a sealing member extending across and received directly against a seam between the edges of the first and second sheet pieces, the sealing member isolating the synthetic layer from contact with the seam.